MAY 2 2 2009

Seedin

May 22, 2009

Emily W. Wagner Telephone: (206) 622-4900 emilyw@SeedIP.com

Facsimile Transmission

1 dodinino 1 di la companya di la co									
	Filing Receipt Corrections								
To:	Office of Initial Patent Ex	amination							
Fax No.:	571-273-8300								
Phone No.:									
Re:	Request for Corrected Filing Receipt								
Your Ref.:	U.S. Patent Application No. 10/583,122								
Seed IP Ref.:	130109.513USPC								
=	10 (including this cover s	heet)							
If you do not receive all pages, please call Emily W. Wagner at (206) 622-4900 or fax our office.									
Urgent	X For Review	Please Confirm Receipt	Please Reply ASAP						
Comments: OFFICIAL CORRESPONDENCE									
Please find enclosed: Request for Corrected Filing Receipt Copy of Filing Receipt (annotated) Copy of Decision Granting Request to Convert to Provisional (10/740,693) Copy of Updated Filing Receipt (60/714,532)									
Transmission Information:									
Date:	Time:	By:	•						

CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE:

The information contained in this facsimile message is legally privileged and/or confidential information intended only for the use of the addressee named above. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any use, dissemination, distribution, or copying of this facsimile or its content is strictly prohibited. If you have received this facsimile in error, please immediately notify us by telephone and return the original facsimile message to us by mail or destroy it without making a copy. Thank you.

MAY 2 2 2009

PATENT

I hereby certify that this paper is being facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown below:

May 22, 2009

Date

Dune C. Chigungan

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants

Leslie Brenon Knaggs et al.

Application No.

10/583,122

Filed

April 21, 2009

For

MONITORING FUEL CELLS USING RFID DEVICES

Docket No.

130109.513USPC

Date

May 22, 2009

Filing Receipt Corrections
Office of Initial Patent Examination
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Commissioner for Patents:

Attached is a copy of the official Filing Receipt received from the USPTO in the above-identified application, for which issuance of a corrected Filing Receipt is respectfully requested.

There is an error with respect to the following data, which is incorrectly entered. There is an error in the Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant section, which should read:

This application is a 371 of PCT/US04/42854 12/16/2004 which claims the benefit of 60/714,532 12/19/2003 (formerly USAN 10/740,693)

There is an error on the Foreign Applications section. The following information should be <u>omitted</u>:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA 10/740,693 12/19/2003

MAY 2 2 2009

U.S. Application No. 10/583,122 Request for Corrected Filing Receipt

The corrections to be made have been marked on the attached copy of the Filing Receipt. For reference purposes, copies of the Decision Granting Request to Convert to Provisional (US Application No. 10/740,693 to U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/714,532) and related Filing Receipt are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Leslie Brenon Knaggs et al.

SEED Intellectual Property Law Group PLLC

Emily W. Wagner

Registration No. 50;922

EWW:sc1

Enclosures:

Copy of Filing Receipt with corrections requested.

Decision Granting Request to Convert to Provisional dated 12/21/2005

(USAN 10/740,693 converted to U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/714,532).

Filing Receipt dated 12/21/2005 (U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/714,532)

701 Fifth Avenue, Suite 5400 Seattle, Washington 98104 Phone: (206) 622-4900

Fax: (206) 682-6031

1393840_1.DOC

MAY 2 2 2009



United States Patent and Trademark Office

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Tradeonark Office Address COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS PR. Bex 1419 Alexandra, Veginia 22313-1450 www.unplo.gov

 APPLICATION NUMBER
 FILING or 371(c) DATE
 GRP ART UNIT
 FIL FRE RECD
 ATTY DOCKET NO
 TOT CLAIMS IND CLAI

CONFIRMATION NO. 1291

500 SEED INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW GROUP PLLC 701 FIFTH AVE SUITE 5400 SEATTLE, WA 98104

FILING RECEIPT

Date Mailed: 05/05/2009

Receipt is acknowledged of this non-provisional patent application. The application will be taken up for examination in due course. Applicant will be notified as to the results of the examination. Any correspondence concerning the application must include the following identification information: the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filling Receipt, please submit a written request for a Filling Receipt Correction. Please provide a copy of this Filling Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filling Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the USPTO processes the reply to the Notice, the USPTO will generate another Filling Receipt incorporating the requested corrections

Applicant(s)

Leslie Brenon Knaggs, Coquitlam, BC, CANADA; Fariborz T. Ordubadi, North Vancouver, BC, CANADA;

Edwin J. Vink, Langley, BC, CANADA;

Power of Attorney: The patent practitioners associated with Customer Number 00500

Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

This application is a 371 of PCT/US04/42854 12/16/2004

Which claims the benefit of 60/714,532, filed 12/19/2003

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA 10/748,693 12/19/2003 - (formerly USAN 10/7/40,693)

If Required, Foreign Filing License Granted: 04/30/2009

The country code and number of your priority application, to be used for filing abroad under the Paris Convention, is **US 10/583,122**

Projected Publication Date: 08/13/2009

ENTERED IN DOCKET

Non-Publication Request: No

Early Publication Request: No

** SMALL ENTITY **

page 1 of 3

MAY 2 2 2009

Title

Monitoring fuel cells using rfid devices

Preliminary Class

PROTECTING YOUR INVENTION OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES

Since the rights granted by a U.S. patent extend only throughout the territory of the United States and have no effect in a foreign country, an inventor who wishes patent protection in another country must apply for a patent in a specific country or in regional patent offices. Applicants may wish to consider the filing of an international application under the Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT). An international (PCT) application generally has the same effect as a regular national patent application in each PCT-member country. The PCT process simplifies the filing of patent applications on the same invention in member countries, but does not result in a grant of "an international patent" and does not eliminate the need of applicants to file additional documents and fees in countries where patent protection is desired.

Almost every country has its own patent law, and a person desiring a patent in a particular country must make an application for patent in that country in accordance with its particular laws. Since the laws of many countries differ in various respects from the patent law of the United States, applicants are advised to seek guidance from specific foreign countries to ensure that patent rights are not lost prematurely.

Applicants also are advised that in the case of inventions made in the United States, the Director of the USPTO must issue a license before applicants can apply for a patent in a foreign country. The filing of a U.S. patent application serves as a request for a foreign filing license. The application's filing receipt contains further information and guidance as to the status of applicant's license for foreign filing.

Applicants may wish to consult the USPTO booklet, "General Information Concerning Patents" (specifically, the section entitled "Treaties and Foreign Patents") for more information on timeframes and deadlines for filing foreign patent applications. The guide is available either by contacting the USPTO Contact Center at 800-786-9199, or it can be viewed on the USPTO website at http://www.uspto.gov/web/offices/pac/doc/general/index.html.

For information on preventing theft of your intellectual property (patents, trademarks and copyrights), you may wish to consult the U.S. Government website, http://www.stopfakes.gov. Part of a Department of Commerce initiative, this website includes self-help "toolkits" giving innovators guidance on how to protect intellectual property in specific countries such as China, Korea and Mexico. For questions regarding patent enforcement issues, applicants may call the U.S. Government hotline at 1-866-999-HALT (1-866-999-4158).

LICENSE FOR FOREIGN FILING UNDER Title 35, United States Code, Section 184 Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, 5.11 & 5.15

GRANTED

The applicant has been granted a license under 35 U.S.C. 184, if the phrase "IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED" followed by a date appears on this form. Such licenses are issued in all applications where the conditions for issuance of a license have been met, regardless of whether or not a license may be required as set forth in 37 CFR 5.15. The scope and limitations of this license are set forth in 37 CFR 5.15(a) unless an earlier

license has been issued under 37 CFR 5.15(b). The license is subject to revocation upon written notification. The date indicated is the effective date of the license, unless an earlier license of similar scope has been granted under 37 CFR 5.13 or 5.14.

This license is to be retained by the licensee and may be used at any time on or after the effective date thereof unless it is revoked. This license is automatically transferred to any related applications(s) filed under 37 CFR 1.53(d). This license is not retroactive.

The grant of a license does not in any way lessen the responsibility of a licensee for the security of the subject matter as Imposed by any Government contract or the provisions of existing laws relating to espionage and the national security or the export of technical data. Licensees should apprise themselves of current regulations especially with respect to certain countries, of other agencies, particularly the Office of Defense Trade Controls, Department of State (with respect to Arms, Munitions and Implements of War (22 CFR 121-128)); the Bureau of Industry and Security, Department of Commerce (15 CFR parts 730-774); the Office of Foreign AssetsControl, Department of Treasury (31 CFR Parts 500+) and the Department of Energy.

NOT GRANTED

No license under 35 U.S.C. 184 has been granted at this time, if the phrase "IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED" DOES NOT appear on this form. Applicant may still petition for a license under 37 CFR 5.12, if a license is desired before the expiration of 6 months from the filing date of the application. If 6 months has lapsed from the filing date of this application and the licensee has not received any indication of a secrecy order under 35 U.S.C. 181, the licensee may foreign file the application pursuant to 37 CFR 5.15(b).

MAY 2 2 2009





United States Patent and Trademark Office

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITED STATES DEPARTMENT and Trademark Office Address COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Adecards, Viginia 22313-1450 www.uspto.gav

FIRST NAMED APPLICANT ATTY. DOCKET NO APPLICATION NUMBER FILING OR 371(c) DATE 130109.513 Leslie Brenon Knaggs 12/19/2003 10/740.693

CONFIRMATION NO.

00500 SEED INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW GROUP PLLC 701 FIFTH AVE **SUITE 6300** SEATTLE, WA 98104-7092

Date Mailed: 12/21/2005

DECISION GRANTING REQUEST TO CONVERT TO PROVISIONAL

This is a decision on the request under 37 CFR 1.53(c)(2) received in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on 12/17/2004, to convert the above-identified application to a provisional application under 35 U.S.C. 111(b) and 37 CFR 1.53(c).

The request is granted.

The application will be processed in the Office of Initial Patent Examination (OIPE) as a provisional application under 35 U.S.C. 111(b) and 37 CFR 1.53(c), including the assignment of a new provisional application number.

The provisional application number is 60/714,532. The filing receipt for the provisional application number will be mailed to the applicant by OIPE in due course.

RECEIVED

JAN 03 2006

Seed Intellectual Property Law Group PLLC

JOHN S DILL

Office of Initial Patent Examination

(571) 272-4000, or 1-800-PTO-9199, or 1-800-972-6382

PART 1 - ATTORNEY/APPLICANT COPY

2008/010

MAY 2 2 2009



United States Patent and Trademark Office

United States DEPARTMENT OF COMMI United States Patent and Trademark Office Address COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS FO. Dex 1450 Alexandria, Viginia 22313-1450 www.nepto.asv UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPL NO.	FILING OR 371 (c) DATE	ART UNIT	FIL FEE REC'D	ATTY.DOCKET NO	DRAWINGS	TOT CLMS	IND CLMS

60/714,532 12/19/2003 1600

130109.513

CONFIRMATION NO. 1075

UPDATED FILING RECEIPT

OC000000017691953

00500 SEED INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW GROUP PLLC 701 FIFTH AVE **SUITE 6300** SEATTLE, WA 98104-7092

Date Mailed: 12/21/2005

Receipt is acknowledged of this provisional Patent Application. It will not be examined for patentability and will become abandoned not later than twelve months after its filing date. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please mail to the Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria Va 22313-1450. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the USPTO processes the reply to the Notice, the USPTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

Applicant(s)

Leslie Brenon Knaggs, Coquitlam, CANADA; Fariborz T. Ordubadi, North Vancouver, CANADA; Edwin J. Vink, Langley, CANADA;

Assignment For Published Patent Application

Ballard Power Systems Inc., Burnaby, CANADA

Power of Attorney: The patent practitioners associated with Customer Number 00500

If Required, Foreign Filing License Granted: 03/27/2004

The country code and number of your priority application, to be used for filing abroad under the Paris Convention, is US60/714,532

Projected Publication Date: None, application is not eligible for pre-grant publication

Non-Publication Request: Not applicable

Early-Publication Request: Not applicable

Title

MAY 2 2 2009

Monitoring fuel cells using RFID devices

PROTECTING YOUR INVENTION OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES

Since the rights granted by a U.S. patent extend only throughout the territory of the United States and have no effect in a foreign country, an inventor who wishes patent protection in another country must apply for a patent in a specific country or in regional patent offices. Applicants may wish to consider the filing of an international application under the Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT). An international (PCT) application generally has the same effect as a regular national patent application in each PCT-member country. The PCT process simplifies the filing of patent applications on the same invention in member countries, but does not result in a grant of "an international patent" and does not eliminate the need of applicants to file additional documents and fees in countries where patent protection is desired.

Almost every country has its own patent law, and a person desiring a patent in a particular country must make an application for patent in that country in accordance with its particular laws. Since the laws of many countries differ in various respects from the patent law of the United States, applicants are advised to seek guidance from specific foreign countries to ensure that patent rights are not lost prematurely.

Applicants also are advised that in the case of inventions made in the United States, the Director of the USPTO must issue a license before applicants can apply for a patent in a foreign country. The filing of a U.S. patent application serves as a request for a foreign filing license. The application's filing receipt contains further information and guidance as to the status of applicant's license for foreign filing.

Applicants may wish to consult the USPTO booklet, "General Information Concerning Patents" (specifically, the section entitled "Treaties and Foreign Patents") for more information on timeframes and deadlines for filing foreign patent applications. The guide is available either by contacting the USPTO Contact Center at 800-786-9199, or it can be viewed on the USPTO website at http://www.uspto.gov/web/offices/pac/doc/general/index.html.

For information on preventing theft of your intellectual property (patents, trademarks and copyrights), you may wish to consult the U.S. Government website, http://www.stopfakes.gov. Part of a Department of Commerce initiative, this website includes self-help "toolkits" giving innovators guidance on how to protect intellectual property in specific countries such as China, Korea and Mexico. For questions regarding patent enforcement issues, applicants may call the U.S. Government hotline at 1-866-999-HALT (1-866-999-4158).

LICENSE FOR FOREIGN FILING UNDER Title 35, United States Code, Section 184 Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, 5.11 & 5.15

GRANTED

The applicant has been granted a license under 35 U.S.C. 184, if the phrase "IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED" followed by a date appears on this form. Such licenses are issued in all applications where the conditions for issuance of a license have been met, regardless of whether or not a license may be required as set forth in 37 CFR 5.15. The scope and limitations of this license are set forth in 37 CFR 5.15(a) unless an earlier license has been issued under 37 CFR 5.15(b). The license is subject to revocation upon written notification. The date indicated is the effective date of the license, unless an earlier license of similar scope has been granted under 37 CFR 5.13 or 5.14.

This license is to be retained by the licensee and may be used at any time on or after the effective date thereof unless it is revoked. This license is automatically transferred to any related applications(s) filed under 37 CFR 1.53(d). This license is not retroactive.

The grant of a license does not in any way lessen the responsibility of a licensee for the security of the subject matter as imposed by any Government contract or the provisions of existing laws relating to espionage and the

Page 3 of 3

national security or the export of technical data. Licensees should apprise themselves of current regulations especially with respect to certain countries, of other agencies, particularly the Office of Defense Trade Controls, Department of State (with respect to Arms, Munitions and Implements of War (22 CFR 121-128)); the Bureau of Industry and Security, Department of Commerce (15 CFR parts 730-774); the Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department of Treasury (31 CFR Parts 500+) and the Department of Energy.

NOT GRANTED

No license under 35 U.S.C. 184 has been granted at this time, if the phrase "IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED" DOES NOT appear on this form. Applicant may still petition for a license under 37 CFR 5.12, if a license is desired before the expiration of 6 months from the filing date of the application. If 6 months has lapsed from the filing date of this application and the licensee has not received any indication of a secrecy order under 35 U.S.C. 181, the licensee may foreign file the application pursuant to 37 CFR 5.15(b).